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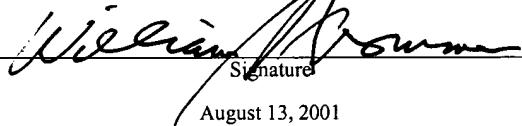
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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF NOTICE TO FILE
CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

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Dear Sir:

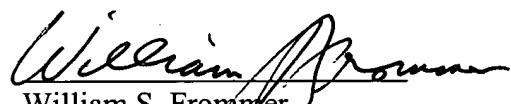
This is a request for reconsideration and withdrawal of the requirement for substitute drawings, as set out in the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed August 8, 2001.

The drawings, as filed in the above-identified continuation, are identical to the drawings printed in parent U.S. Patent No. 6,278,493. Since these drawings already have been reviewed and accepted by the Office in the parent application, and since the Examiner evidently found the information in those drawings to be needed for ready understanding of the disclosed invention, it is respectfully requested that the requirement for substitute drawings be reconsidered and withdrawn.

Respectfully submitted,

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This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawings contain excessive text. Suitable descriptive legends may be used, or may be required by the Examiner where necessary for understanding of the drawing but should contain as few words as possible (see 37 CFR 1.84(o));

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